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BILL NO. 10-2-12-1 (A)

SUMMARY – An ordinance amending Chapter 14.42 of the Clark County Code to regulate the use or display or dangerous objects within restricted areas on Las Vegas Boulevard South and certain adjoining areas.

ORDINANCE NO. 4062
(of Clark County, Nevada)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 14.42 OF THE CLARK COUNTY CODE TO REGULATE THE USE OR DISPLAY OR DANGEROUS OBJECTS WITHIN RESTRICTED AREAS ON LAS VEGAS BOULEVARD SOUTH AND CERTAIN ADJOINING AREAS; AND PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO.

Preamble: Ease of pedestrian access and pedestrian safety while navigating the Las Vegas Strip and its immediate environs is of paramount importance to the people of the County of Clark, and given the sometimes narrow pedestrian access along the Las Vegas Strip and adjoining areas, it is necessary for the safety of pedestrians to limit activities of passersby on such access. The Board of County Commissioners acknowledges that further regulation of possession of firearms is preempted by state law and the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution, and therefore that subject is not addressed herein. “Restricted area” is already defined in this chapter to mean the area contiguous to and including the following highways:

- (1) That portion of Las Vegas Boulevard from Russell Road to Sahara Avenue;
- (2) That portion of Mandalay Bay Road from Luxor Drive to Las Vegas Boulevard;

- (3) That portion of Tropicana Avenue from Koval Lane to two hundred feet west of its intersection with Las Vegas Boulevard;
- (4) That portion of Harmon Avenue from Interstate Highway 15 to Audrie Street;
- (5) That portion of Flamingo Road from Koval Lane to two hundred feet west of its intersection with Las Vegas Boulevard;
- (6) That portion of Spring Mountain/Sands Avenue, from the Fashion Show Drive to Koval Lane;
- (7) Each remaining highway not listed above that intersects Las Vegas Boulevard between Russell Road and Sahara Avenue for a distance of two hundred feet west and two hundred feet east of its intersection with Las Vegas Boulevard;
- (8) That portion of Paradise Road from Harmon Avenue to Karen Avenue;
- (9) Each highway that intersects Paradise Road from Harmon Avenue to Karen Avenue for a distance of two hundred feet east and two hundred feet west of its intersection with Paradise Road; and
- (10) That portion of Convention Center Drive from Las Vegas Boulevard to Paradise Road.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DOES
HEREBY ORDAIN ADDITIONAL SECTIONS TO BE ADDED TO CHAPTER 14.42 OF
THE CLARK COUNTY CODE, TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. Except as otherwise expressly allowed by state law or county code, electrical cords, chains, wires, or hoses shall not be strung across or along public sidewalks or public pedestrian easements in the Restricted Area, nor may electrical generators or batteries be placed upon such sidewalks or easements in the Restricted Area.

SECTION TWO. It shall be unlawful for any person to have in his or her possession or display along any public sidewalk or public pedestrian easement in the Restricted area any explosives of any kind, including firecrackers and other kinds of fireworks, or incendiary devices or devices capable of shooting flames or other projectiles.

SECTION THREE. It shall be unlawful, except as otherwise expressly allowed by state law or county code, for any person to use or display on any public sidewalk or public pedestrian easement in the Restricted Area any sword or knife, or bladed edge with a blade longer than 3

inches, bow and arrows, crossbows, devices emitting flames of 3 inches or higher, or any toy, imitation, or replica firearm which substantially duplicates and can reasonably be perceived to be an actual operable firearm, as "firearm" is defined in Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 202.

SECTION FOUR. It is unlawful for any person to operate or ride a skateboard, coaster, roller or in-line skates, or other similar device on any public sidewalk or public pedestrian easement in the Restricted Area. A person operating, driving, or using an electric personal assistance mobility device, as defined in Clark County Code Section 14.42.020, who has a disability or a medical condition that necessitates the use of such device is exempted from this section.

SECTION FIVE. If any section of this ordinance or portion thereof is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate the remaining parts of this ordinance.

SECTION SIX. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, chapters, sections, subsections, clauses, phrases or sentences contained in the Clark County Code in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION SEVEN. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and the publication thereof by title only, together with the names of the County Commissioners voting for or against its passage, in a newspaper published in and having a general circulation in Clark County, Nevada, at least once a week for a period of two (2) weeks.

PROPOSED on the 2nd day of October, 2012.

PROPOSED BY: Commissioner Susan Brager

PASSED on the 16th day of October, 2012.

AYES: Susan Brager

Lawrence L. Brown III

Tom Collins

Chris Giunchigliani

Mary Beth Scow

Steve Sisolak

Lawrence Weekly

None

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None

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

BY: Susan Brager
SUSAN BRAGER, Chair

ATTEST:


DIANA ALBA, County Clerk

This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after
the 30th day of October 2012.